

City of Fresno

2600 Fresno Street
Fresno, CA 93721
www.fresno.gov



Meeting Agenda - Final

Wednesday, August 12, 2026

3:00 PM

Special Meeting

Council Chambers

City Council

Council President - Nelson Esparza

Vice President - Tyler Maxwell

Councilmembers:

Annalisa Perea, Mike Karbassi, Miguel Angel Arias, Brandon Vang,

Nick Richardson

City Manager - Georgeanne A. White

City Attorney - Andrew Janz

City Clerk - Amy K. Aller

**THE FRESNO CITY COUNCIL WELCOMES YOU TO THE COUNCIL CHAMBER,
LOCATED IN CITY HALL, 2ND FLOOR, 2600 FRESNO STREET, FRESNO,
CALIFORNIA 93721.**

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – Public participation during Fresno City Council meetings is always encouraged and can occur in one of the two following ways:

1) Participate In Person: Council Chambers, City Hall, 2nd Floor, 2600 Fresno Street, Fresno, CA 93721

a) To speak during a City Council meeting in person: fill out a speaker card (available in the Council Chamber) and place it in the speaker card collection basket at the front of the Council Chamber. You may also approach the speaker podium upon the Council President's call for public comment.

2) Participate Remotely via Zoom:

https://fresno.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_FNSEIVGFRqG799m0Rx4IEA

a) The above link will allow you to register in advance for remote participation in the meeting via the Zoom platform. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing additional details about joining the meeting.

b) To speak during a City Council meeting while attending remotely: while in the Zoom application, click on the icon labeled "Participants" at the bottom of the screen. Then select "RaiseHand" at the bottom of the Participants window. Your digital hand will now be raised. You will be asked to "unmute" when your name is called to speak. You will not be visible via video and there will be no opportunity to share your screen.

All public speakers will have up to 3 minutes to address Council pursuant to Rule No. 10 of the Rules of Procedure for the City Council of the City of Fresno (available in the City Clerk's Office).

SUBMIT DOCUMENTS / WRITTEN COMMENTS - Pursuant to Rule 11 (c) of the Rules of Procedure, no documents shall be accepted for Council review unless submitted to the City Clerk at least 24 hours prior to the Council Agenda item be heard. Documents / written comments related to an agenda item can be submitted by one of the following methods:

1) eComment – eComment allows the public to submit agenda related comments through a website prior to the meeting. Submitted comments are limited to 1440 characters and will be a part of the official record.

a) Submit an e-Comment by visiting <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> and selecting the “eComment” link.

b) e-Comment is available for use upon publication of the agenda and closes 24 hours prior to the meeting start time [pursuant to Rule 11(c)].

c) e-Comment is not permitted for Land use or CEQA items.

d) The e-Comment Electronic User Agreement can be viewed at:
<https://www.fresno.gov/cityclerk/#information>

2) E-mail – Agenda related documents and comments can be e-mailed to the Office of the City Clerk at least 24 hours prior to the agenda item being heard, pursuant to Rule 11(c).

a) E-mail the Clerk’s Office at clerk@fresno.gov

VIEWING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS (non-participatory) - For your convenience, there are several ways to view Fresno City Council meetings live:

1) City of Fresno website: <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> (click “In Progress” to view the live meeting).

2) Community Media Access Collaborative website: <https://cmac.tv/>

3) YouTube - City of Fresno Council, Boards and Commissions Channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3ld83D8QGn1YBDw6aD5dZA/videos>

4) Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FresnoCA/videos>

5) Cable Television: Comcast Channel 96 and AT&T Channel 99

6) Zoom:
https://fresno.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_FNSEIVGFRqG799m0Rx4IEA

Should any of the viewing methods above experience technical difficulties, the Council meeting will continue uninterrupted. Meetings will only be paused to address verified technical issues that interrupt public participation during meetings.

TRANSLATION SERVICES - The City of Fresno is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). If reasonable ADA accommodations are needed, including sign language interpretation, contact the Office of the City Clerk at (559) 621-7650 or clerk@fresno.gov. Also contact the Office of the City Clerk if spoken language translation is required. Accommodation and language requests should be made a minimum of three business days prior to the scheduled meeting.

The City is pleased to offer live translation services for all City Council meetings through Wordly AI. Community members can now follow the proceedings in their preferred language by accessing the live translation feature. To use this service, simply click the link below during any City Council meeting. <https://attend.wordly.ai/join/OKUS-5089>. To access the QR Code please visit <https://fresno.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>.

GOVERNMENT CODE 84308 CONTRIBUTION PROHIBITIONS AND MANDATORY DISCLOSURES - The Political Reform Act of 1974 (Act) restricts campaign contributions over \$500 to a decision-making public official from a party or participant, or their agent, in a proceeding involving a license, permit, contract, or entitlement for use. The Act requires disclosure of the contribution and creates a conflict where a decision-maker has received \$500 or more from a party or participant to a proceeding in the prior 12 months. A decision-maker must disclose on the record during the proceeding that they have received contributions from a party, participant, or agent of a party or participant, greater than \$500 within the preceding 12 months and the name(s) of the contributor(s). (See 2 CCR 18438.8(a).) Parties to a proceeding are required to disclose on the record if they made contributions over \$500 to a decision-maker within the prior 12 months, and are prohibited from making contributions to a decision-maker during the proceeding and for 12 months after the date a final decision is rendered on the proceeding.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO**DATE:** August 12, 2026**TIME:** 3:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as it may be heard**LOCATION:** Council Chambers, City Hall

Please Take Notice the Council of the City of Fresno hereby calls a Special Meeting of the City Council pursuant to California Government Code section 54956 at the above stated time and place. The purpose of the special meeting is to meet and consider the following:

3:00 P.M. ROLL CALL

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

APPROVE AGENDA[ID 26-1100](#)

Notice of Special Meeting - Signed

Sponsors:

Council President Esparza

CLOSED SESSION[ID 26-1101](#)

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

Government Code Section 54956.9, subdivision (d)(4): 1 potential case

Sponsors:

City Attorney's Office

Members of the public shall have an opportunity to address the City Council concerning this matter.

ADJOURNMENT